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Beck Buckterfeld

Martin, Isaac - Synopsis 2/4/64
 aka Michael Isaac, Michel Sykys
 born Dec 12, 1904 - Hungary. Employed
 HEW, NY. Naturalized at NY Supreme
 Ct. 2/8/1915. Claims derivative citizen-
 ship from father.

Employed as a supervisor of Transpor-
 tation for Special Services Section of Dept of
 Welfare, NY.

Credit - nothing unfavorable

4 children

former owner of book + hobby shop

5 previous residences

Memo for SAIC / NYFO orders to conduct a
 credit check for additional bio. deadline of 30/1/64

1943-1974 OS/SAIC - Harold Isaac

3rd Agency FBI - 1950-57 (reled)

3rd Agency Army 1949-57

House Comm on Un-Am. Act. 1950 +
 previous

3rd Ag.

1951 Background Invest.

3rd of Civil Service Comm. Info d + d prior
 to 1951

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further files - Intell. Sec. of Army

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at 16 Nov 1951

10143-10334

1932-1965

Harold A. Isaacs

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OS/SAG

Associated w/ China Press until 1931
Newsmen

3rd agency info - FBI 1945 Info - sealed

FBI - 1952 - sealed

FBI - 1951-52 - sealed

FBI 1951 - sealed

FBI - 1951 - sealed

FBI - 1952 - sealed

Memo - March 27 1947 - to Roger A. Pfaff

From John Seddington

re: Harold Isaacs

George Kater of OSS knew Isaacs.
While Isaacs was in China, Isaacs met
a South African named Frank Glass
(questionable communist lies)

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International Rescue Comm. - Lease Docs.

Letter from Allan W. Suller - July 14, 1956 -
to Leo Cherne -

reflects no agency involvement w/ IRC

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SEC File # A-00-55-64 Vol 1

Domestic Contact Service - Organ. Info Sheet
May 30, 1973 -

Charles Sternberg - Exec. Dir., very cooperative.
July is in charge of the NY office. Sternberg was
approved/Secret in 1971 (W. Freund of the NY office
has been in touch w/ suby. for many years)

Leo Cherne - We have been in touch w/ Leo
Cherne but not in regard to IRC. Cherne is Ex-
ecutive Director of the Research Institute of America
Inc, 589 5th Ave, NY, & was placed in the approved
category in June 1967

same letterhead dated March 6, 1972 "It (the
organization IRC) is of value to us (CIA) by
helping us locate East European immigrants
wanted for debriefing

Leo Cherne - aka Chernetky Leopold

Memo from DCD 2/15/78 to Shepanek
re HSCA doc leg.

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April 9, 1976 Draft to Sternberg

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Dear Mr. Sternberg:

As you might surmise, your organ is well known to the Agency. Following the receipt of your letter of 31/3/76, a more definitive search for info pertaining to your request was conducted. No info was located which would indicate that the CIA has ever provided funds to the SRC either directly or indirectly. I trust this letter will allay any apprehensions your organization has had in this matter.

George Bush

Dec 3, 1962

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Memo ~~Letter~~ to Allen Moorhouse indicating discussion of Cherne re: possible use of SRC as cover + intelligence operation.

Commons & Brown

June 15, 1962 Teletype Message to McConaall from Major J. Cherne -

Sily has in the past & on numerous occasions maintained a direct liaison w/ Det. Rudy Gomez of WH + Lord Meyer of IO on certain sensitive matters ~~and~~ the nature of which we are not completely aware although some matters of sensitivity have passed through us. This liaison has existed before our arrival on the scene. Sily has requested that we attempt to determine who is to be the point of contact in WH on these matters previously

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~~handled~~ my Honey now that Rudy is no longer there. From what I guess, there are evidently some things which WH has requested be handled directly w/ them rather than the NYFC. We will appreciate your attempting to get a decision out of WH on this & would assume that it would be someone close to the Cuban Situation since subject is in frequent contact w/ leaders of the emigre groups in Miami & Puerto Rico.

May 17 1960 Memo re: Cherno

conference held re: future of SRC. Present were John Richardson, pres SRC, Leo Cherno, & 2 CIA reps. New activity announced - SRC would give aid to democratic refugees from the Dominican Rep & Cuba.

Subj indicated that DCI was unwilling to have the SRC halt its activities & there was considerable discussion as to the amount of \$ which would be required to ensure the continued activities of the SRC. Possibility that a grant of \$100,000 will be made available to SRC although definite word on the grant has not been received by subj. as of yest.

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Vol II SRC Miscellaneous Corresp. 1949-52

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July 21 1952 NY Secret

Re. Lea from Aircraft by Alvin W 2238
re. Case 10,978 re: spelling differences
OTLOW - OKLOW

Vol III Nothing

3rd agency docs - sealed

Jan 2, 1952 FBI - # 100-1852

Feb 9 1954 FBI - ~~100~~ - 360 N49

Dept of Navy June 27 1952
OP-21C/cp

SK 013313P92

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FBI May 14, 1957

~~Re~~ Vladimir Savchenko # 105-41502

FBI April 24, 1952 # 105-17142

FBI Aug. 5, 1953 # 100-338078

FBI May - FBI - (100-360619)

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Charles, C. DDO Vol # III

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3rd agency - Dept of State Telegram Port au Prince 1630
Date - 28/11/72

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Pres Grants Clemency to 89 Prisoners

Inter. Info. Cable - March 17 1971

Haiti

Mid March 1971

Results of Interrogation of CJC + Kerner Blair
Source: former Haitian Govt. Employee

Raymond said that, in his interrogation of Charles, Duvalier appeared primarily concerned w/ determining if Charles had served as a funding channel from Amer business men to Haitian conspirators. In the course of the conversation Duvalier showed Charles a photocopy of a cashier's check for \$170,000 drawn in Charles name. Charles allegedly replied that he had dealings w/ many foreigners + Haitians. He denied Duvalier's charges saying that, if he had been involved, it would have been a purely Haitian affair + he would not sully Haiti's honor by seeking help from foreigners.

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AK5- Charles, Joseph
Haiti

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See Lichtenfeld

US Address - Univ. Place 2 E. Orange NY
Place of Admission - Miami, Fla. 1-17-70

Memo for Sup Chief WH/7 Oct 27, 1969

Following our receipt of info that C/C had taken a list of requirements into the US Embassy in Port au Prince & asked help in fulfilling them, WH Div. sent a memo on 19 Aug. 1969 to the Chief DCS asking DCS's contact w/ [Laure A. Brun] (from whom Charles received the requirements) be terminated.

The DCS NY office on 29 Aug. 1969 sent a memo to Sup Chief DCS which reviewed the case noted [Brun] had been guilty of sloppy security & concluded that no further requirements would be given him. This memo did not, however, say that contact would be terminated, in fact, it said they would continue to deliver [Brun] whenever he returned from a trip to Haiti. The [Station] replied [Port au Prince] 6496 11 Oct 69 that this was not enough, that the contact ~~be~~ should be completely severed... The result was a memo on 16 Oct 1969 from C/DCS to C/WH/D which referred to the original WH/D memo of 19 Aug & advised that contact w/ [Brun] had been terminated. [Port au Prince] was so informed (DIR 48277, 21 Oct 69)

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James P. Muller
C/WH/7/[H]

3rd copy - Dept of State

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Post au Prince 967

6 August 1970 Confidential
Release of Political Prisoners

Dept of State Telegram

Post au Prince 540

8 May ~~1970~~ 1970

Limited official use

Measures taken by Govt Agencies Alleged
Conspirators

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Dept of State

Post au Prince 546

8 May 1970

Unclassified

Confiscation Assets of CGC

Dept of State Telegram

Post au Prince 472

28 April 1970

Confidential

Reports of Executions of Prisoners Allegedly
Involved in Coast Guard Attack

Post au Prince 295

Dept of State

7 April 1970

Arrests of Commercial Sail Officers

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[Louis A. Bruen] Charles' contact
[Louis Leveque - source of Bruen]
[Alfonse Zahens - " " "] - former deputy
Col. Cayard - Head of Coast Guard
Constant, FNU - Chief of Staff
Col. Keener Blain - Head of Army Quartermaster Warehouses

[File: Louis A. Bruen - President
L & L International Corp.
230 5th Ave
NY City]

3rd agency - FBI Doc

17 Aug 1962 Class - None given
Clemard J. Charleen
File # 105-6311 (Miami)

Dept of State Airogram A134
Aug 13, 1969
From - American Embassy
Financial activities of Cge.

Dept of State Airogram A-14
From Amemoney

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Feb 1, 1969
Alleged plot of Cge

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Aug 19 1969 Memo for D/DCS

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Subj. DCS Case 47540 - Contact w/ [Lewis A. Brun]
CJC

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① On 29 July 1969 [Station Port au Prince] advised that CJC had passed a list of 9 questions concerning the Haitian economy to an official of the US Embassy in Port au Prince. The list of questions were quite format & although sterile, appeared to be intell. requirements. Chaiken told the Embassy that he had just finished a "~~big~~ job" for the Pentagon, & implied that the list also came from the Pentagon...

Signed John Hoston / acting chg
WHD

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